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SUBJECT: CONFIRMATION OF ASSISTANT SECRETARY DAVIS

1. GOVERNMENT-OWNED TANZANIA DAILY NEWS REPORTED DAVIS
CONFIRMATION MARCH 13 IN SMALL PAGE TWO ITEM WITHOUT
HEADLINE AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE WASHINGTON. THE UNITED
STATES SENATE LAST NIGHT CONFIRMED THE NOMINATION OF
CIA MAN NATHANIEL DAVIS TO BE US ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF
STATE FOR AFRICAN AFFAIRS. UNQUOTE.

2. SWAHILI-LANGUAGE DAILY UHURU DID NOT MENTION CONFIRMATION.

3. EMBASSY PRESS ATTACHE CALLED ON ACTING EDITOR KUMALIJA
OF DAILY NEWS SAME DAY TO LODGE STRONG PROTEST ABOUT DAVIS
STORY. KUMALIJA SAID THERE IS CONFUSION IN MINDS MANY
AFRICANS ABOUT AMBASSADOR DAVIS' BACKGROUND. STORY HAD BEEN
APPROVED BY SUB-EDITOR. KUMALIJA PROMISED TO TRY TO KEEP
THIS KIND OF THING FROM HAPPENING AGAIN.
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